

HAMPTON, PHOEBUS AND OLD POINT.

PROUD OF THE FIREMEN

Hampton and Phoebus People Applauded Departments in Parade.

DEPARTMENTS SHOWED UP WELL

No Company Was More Admired Than the Crabtownites and No Larger Aggregation Was in Line of March Than the Phoebus Company.

There was great rejoicing in Hampton and Phoebus yesterday over the splendid appearance made by the fire departments of the two towns in the big firemen's parade in Newport News.

More than a thousand persons from the lower peninsula, witnessed the parade and the rounds of applause that greeted the local firemen fully evinced the high feeling of appreciation the towns entertain for their departments.

The Hampton department unquestionably made one of the best appearances in the parade. Arrived in handsome new blue uniforms the firemen gave the Crabtownites along the line of march, ample chance for being proud of them. The department was also well received by the strangers.

Naturally, there is a feeling of genuine pleasure of the awarding of the band prize to the Twenty-third Infantry band, which accompanied the Hampton firemen.

If the Phoebus firemen ever doubted the loyalty of the people of that bustling town all doubts were thrown to the wind yesterday. The Phoebus folks not only applauded vociferously their firemen but informed the strangers that they were from Phoebus by large streamers of yellow ribbon bearing the name "Phoebus" in large black letters. It was a good advertisement for the town and a thorough demonstration of the appreciation of the citizens of that most splendid aggregation of fire fighters. There is no denying the fact that had Phoebus been willing to have entered the contest for the state prizes that Portsmouth would never have been awarded the money. Phoebus had 85 men in line and was headed by the Fort Monroe band. It is an organization well worthy of the encomium heard upon the firemen along the entire line of march.

"Peanuts," the big St. Bernard dog, owned by "Dick" Colonna, appeared in the parade as the mascot of the Hampton department. "Peanuts" strutted along just as though he had been in the habit of marching in a parade every day.

Phoebus will send a large delegation to Harrisonburg next year and it is thought quite likely that the state convention will be invited to come to Phoebus in 1909.

SUITS IN CIRCUIT COURT.

Five Petitions Filed in the Clerk's Office Yesterday.

The following suits were instituted in the Circuit clerk's office yesterday:

The Cabell Company vs A. E. Black, action in trespass on the case in assumption; damages \$300.

A. Brenner vs Hampton Roads Traction Company; action in trespass on the case; damages \$300.

J. B. Lake and John W. Rowe vs W. P. Isley, action in ejectment.

Qualified as Administratrix.

Bertha Taylor was yesterday granted papers of administration on the estate of the late Nathan Dixon.



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Matters Personal

Major John A. Dapray, U. S. Army, accompanied by Mrs. Dapray, has returned to the Hotel Chamberlin, Fort Monroe, from the visit which they made recently to Washington and New York in company with Governor and Mrs. Broward, of Florida. Major Dapray, who, aside from his duties in connection with the Florida militia, is the special commissioner of Florida at the Jamestown Exposition, and at present the only official representative of that state there, says that the Governor and some of the state troops, together with a large number of Florida people, will visit the Exposition next month.

Miss Virginia Mead, of Slater, Mo., who is enroute to Randolph-Macon Woman's College in Lynchburg, is visiting Miss Ida Rees, in Newport News avenue.

Mrs. C. W. Seymour, Miss Bertha Kaiser, Master William Seymour and Masters Edward Kaiser and Charles Kaiser, of Phoebus, have left for a visit to Mrs. T. J. Belt, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. James W. Williams, the soprano soloist in St. Aloysius Catholic church, Washington, is visiting Mrs. L. A. Tucker, in West Queen street.

Mr. Horace Gardner will leave today for a visit of a few weeks in Washington and other points.

Mrs. Harry H. Kimberly, accompanied by her three children, will leave this evening for a month's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley M. Oler, in Larchmont, N. Y.

Mr. Charles T. Taylor will leave this evening for New York, where he will join Mrs. Taylor and their little son.

Mrs. George F. Guy and little daughter, have left for a visit of a month in the mountains.

Capt. Moon, of Newark, N. J., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. T. N. Benthal, in the West End.

Mr. Charles Jaaken, accompanied by his daughter, Misses Elizabeth and Dorothy, left last night for a visit to Mrs. Jane E. Benedict, in Washington. Mr. Jaaken's nephew, Mr. Charles J. Benedict, who has been on a camping trip in Asheville, N. C., joined the Hampton party here and went to Washington.

POSTOFFICE OFFICIAL

A VISITOR IN HAMPTON

Chief of the Salary and Allowances Department Conferred With Postmaster Libbey Yesterday.

Mr. E. T. Bushnell, chief of the department of salaries and allowances in the United States postoffice department, spent yesterday in Hampton with Postmaster Harry H. Libbey. Mr. Bushnell came here to arrange matters for the removal of the postoffice to the Keoughan building.

Postmaster Libbey stated yesterday that the work of moving into the new office will be started tonight and that he expects to be doing business at his new stand on Sunday. He also hopes to have the office in shape for the inspection of the people of Hampton by Monday morning.

The new office is equipped with the latest postoffice furniture, including the combination keyless lock boxes.

Diplomacy With the Piano.

Our pianists do not wholly understand the genius of their instrument. Wonderful as the modern piano is it has decided limitations in respect of power of tone. Treat the piano with diplomacy and it will sing sonorously and with infinite variety of tonal gradations. Force it, assault it, dominate over it, and it shrieks, and there is no expressive timbre left in its voice.—Baughan.

VALUABLE HORSE KILLED

Mr. R. C. Lee, the Owner of the Animal Had Narrow Escape.

RUN DOWN BY FAST C. & O. TRAIN

Was Crossing Tracks on the Back River Road When the Train Came Dashing by—Animal Valued at \$1,000 Was Ground to Pieces.

A valuable horse owned by Mr. R. C. Lee, a member of the incoming town council, of Hampton, was instantly killed and Mr. Lee narrowly escaped a like fate by being run down by the fast Chesapeake & Ohio train yesterday morning.

Mr. Lee was driving across the tracks of the company on the road leading to Back River when the accident occurred. The only reason that Mr. Lee escaped instant death was due to his own presence of mind. He turned a complete somersault and landed on the ground in the rear of his buggy, just as the rapidly moving train drew his horse under the engine.

The horse was literally cut to pieces, fragments being scattered along the tracks for many yards. Mr. Lee never heard the approaching train, although it is said the engine whistled so as to attract his attention. Several persons were just in front of him when the accident happened.

The train was coming from Newport News. Mr. Lee in talking of the accident, said that when he fell from his buggy he could feel the suction from the engine drawing him under.

The horse a most valuable animal and it is said that Mr. Lee would not have sold it for one thousand dollars.

Many years ago Mr. Lee had a brother killed in crossing the tracks near Scheon's Dam.

NO DEFINITE ACTION ON THE 'PHONE MATTER

Not Enough Business Men Attended the Meeting Last Night to Warrant Action in the Premises

Owing to the fact that many of the business men were out of town last night the meeting called to take up the telephone rate increase was held. About ten business men went to the Young Men's Christian Association, and it was decided to delay action until next Wednesday evening.

Mr. C. E. Cheyne and Mr. J. D. Miller, of the committee named for the purpose, announced that about 250 subscribers had endorsed the petition to discontinue the use of the telephone unless the company agreed to a rate of \$3.50 per month for business service and \$2.25 for residence service.

It was decided to forward the petition with the names to the manager of the telephone company and to request that a reply be made to it in time to submit the answer to the meeting next Wednesday night.

YORK COUNTY WEDDINGS.

Mrs. D. Todd the Bride of Mr. John Greene.

Mrs. D. Todd and Mr. John Greene were quietly married in the home of Rev. Mr. Eggleston, at Dare's, York county, last Tuesday evening. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Greene came to Hampton and from here they went to Norfolk and other points, including a visit to the exposition.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Watson have sent out invitations announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Hunter Watson, to Mr. Frank Ironmonger. The ceremony will take place in Dare's, York county, next Tuesday. Both Miss Watson and Mr. Ironmonger, are very popular in York county.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Amputation is the only effective remedy for the "Black Hand."—Albany Evening Journal.

New York's night court seems a reasonable institution. Crime works twenty-four hours a day.—Washington Star.

Some of them never learn until after they get home how great is the difference between a vacation and a rest.—Omaha Bee.

The two great evils of our criminal law today are sentimentality and technicality. For one of these defects the remedy must come from the hands of the legislatures, the courts and the lawyers. The other must depend for its cure upon the growth of public opinion.—New York Outlook.

Tales of Cities.

There is \$215,000 invested every day in New York city apartment houses. A proposal to change the name of Smith street in Middletown, N. Y., is opposed because 133 persons named Smith live on that thoroughfare.

The municipality of Copenhagen has opened war on rats and will pay 144 cents for every tail. The breeding of rats for their tails is a criminal offense.

Herkimer, N. Y., celebrated its one hundredth birthday by unveiling a \$10,000 statue of General Nicholas Herkimer, the hero of the battle of Oriskany, fought 130 years ago.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

The best thing to clean windows with is vinegar. Rub it on with a soft cloth, dry with another and polish with a wash leather.

In using linen collars on the highly polished table cut asbestos plates to place beneath the mats, especially if there is any danger of the hot dishes marking the table top.

Buy crude carbolic acid for sinks. It is cheaper and answers the same purpose. Put the crude oil down the pipes, cover the opening and leave some time before flushing the pipes.

Emery paper if tacked upon a board is useful for smoothing the slightly broken edges of thin tumblers. By carefully rubbing the glasses back and forth a smooth surface is obtained, but not if the glass is too badly cracked.

THE HOME DOCTOR.

Avoid reading during sickness and after measles, scarlet fever and any exhausting disease.

Eating at regular intervals is more important for good digestion than the number of times each day or the quantity of food taken.

A footbath, provided a handful of common soda is added to the water, will very often relieve a severe headache, especially followed by a brisk rub.

One of the best remedies for removing corns is turpentine. Touch the corn every night before retiring with a little turpentine. It will come out in a very short time. Apply the turpentine with a toothpick.

ANIMAL ODDITIES.

There are stingless bees in Montserrat. Fish live in the ocean at a depth of 18,000 feet.

In proportion to its size, a fly walks thirteen times as fast as a man can run.

Skye terriers were originally bred in their native island for destroying foxes.

A whale of fifty tons weight exerts 145 horsepower in swimming twelve miles an hour.

The royal antelope, a species of South African steinbok, stands but twelve inches high at the shoulder, and is the smallest ruminant known.

The best housekeeper is the one who passes less time in making things clean and more thought in keeping them clean as she goes.

LOST—POCKET BOOK WITH "S. H. S." on the back, containing \$2.10. Please return to S. H. SAYRE, Jr., Box 162, Hampton, Va. 8:30-11.

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Star A. Rye, gallon 2.00

Moss Rose, gallon 2.00

Larkwood Pure Rye, gallon 2.00

Jefferson Pure Rye, gallon 1.75

Kentucky Bourbon, gallon 1.40

Double Stamp Gin, gallon 2.00

The following brands of California Wines, Port, Sherry, Catawba, Claret, Blackberry at 25c per qt., per gallon, 75c.

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